

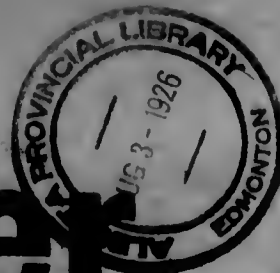
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Our Guarantee is Your Protection

The quality of our goods is backed by a refund or exchange which will be cheerfully given if necessary.

Choice Quality canned tomatoes, corn, peas etc. is far superior to what is termed Standard Grade. Look on the can. Be shrewd, insist on Choice Quality canned vegetables.

Conference Specials

Libby's Corned Beef regular 30c, special 24c
Fels Naptha Soap regular 10c, special 8c
5-lb can Pure Honey 69c
Fine Candy Mixture (made from Ray. Sugar) lb 14c
Matches, Large Boxes 3 for 27c
Fly Tox 50c Size 39c
Large Juicy Lemons per doz 33c
Canned Corn, Choice Quality per can 14c
Chocolate Bars, all varieties 7 for 25c
Glass Tumblers, crystal white reg 6 for 60c
Special 12 for 61c
Cowans Cocoa special per lb 19c

All Seasonable Fruits and Vegetables

Let Us Have Your Order Early

PHONE 10
THE BIG DEPARTMENT STORE
Raymond Merc.
COMPANY, LIMITED

News Notes

You may be the lucky one. A genuine diamond ring is to be given away at the Rex tonight in conjunction with a complete change of pictures.

Allan and Leta Weaver left Thursday morning for Hanna, where they will resume their duties as school teachers in that district. They were accompanied by their mother who will spend a few weeks visiting with relatives at Hanna.

Aust Stevenson suffered a broken leg last Saturday, the result of a fall. He was taken to Lethbridge for surgical attention.

Every day sees a number of cars with U. S. license plates passing through the town. Tourist traffic is at its height.

Druggist P. W. Cope walks around on a game leg as a result of being kicked by a horse on Monday. This accident prevented him from taking part in the wild horse riding during stampede days.

L. D. King did the stampede a good turn by distributing advertising circulars containing the stampede program.

King Motor set up a ladies rest room during the stampede. This was very convenient and much appreciated by stampede visitors.

Several hundred Mexican straw sombreros imported by the second ward finance committee lent a real stampede atmosphere to Raymonds two big days last Tuesday and Wednesday.

As a result of drinking liquid lye some time ago the young son of Wm. Witbeck is quite seriously ill in a Lethbridge hospital.

While working in his potato patch during the electric storm last Monday, H. C. Perka, florist, was struck unconscious by lightning. He has recovered.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Nalder last Saturday, a daughter.

Official announcement has been made that the local School of Agriculture will reopen if a student roll of 100 is obtained. This should be an easy matter if public interest is aroused to the inestimable benefits which are received by students who attend. The whole town receives much good as well, with an increased population, more money in circulation and more social activities. Everyone should get behind the movement to secure the required number of students. Personal interviews, letters inviting students and a little informative advertising should easily achieve the desired result.



REX THEATRE

Tonight - Friday

Sweet Daddies

ALSO MAGIC

And Free Diamond Ring

MONDAY

Bebe Daniels in "Splendid Crime"

LAST THREE DAYS NEXT WEEK

ZANE GREY'S

Born to the West

COMING AUG. 5, 6, 7

RONALD COLMAN IN "DARK ANGEL"

News Notes

FOR SALE—Three Burner Kerosene Stove with oven. Reasonable Price.—Mrs. M. Boyson, Raymond.

Mrs. M. Johnson arrived recently from southern California, for an extended visit at the home of her brother, R. T. Johnson.

News Notes

Bill Witbeck, forman of the Card farm, left a sample of wheat heads at the Recorder office the other day. They are great big fellows and nearly ready for the binder. It is estimated that the Card fields of 200 acres will average a yield of 35 bushels an acre.

LOST—A heavy logging chain with grab hook and ring in the end and a swivel at the centre. Finder please return to Recorder Office.

Orvin Nilson of the Bank of Montreal staff returned last Monday from a two weeks vacation spent in the mountains and at Glacier Park.

Mr. White and family from Utah drove into town in a Packard last Monday night to witness the Raymond Stampede and to visit old friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Depew.

The week has seen some rapid changes in the appearance of near by farm areas. In the space of a few hours the fields of wheat have turned from a yellowish green to a rich golden hue. Harvest is well under way. This district will see many fields in the 25 to 35 bushel class.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mangin, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brewerton, Mrs. A. Coreless and Grover and Gladys Coreless left for an extended visit to Portland where Mr. and Mrs. Mangin reside.

Preserving Season is On

Get Your

Fruit Jars - Jar Rings
Paro Wax - Certo Etc.

From

The Broadway Store

Your Interest is Our Interest

PHONE 2

All You Want - More Than You Expect

Be honest with yourself. Just what do you want and expect of a car at the price you wish to pay? Quality, Power, Speed, Performance, Grace, Beauty, Comfort and Economy.

Quite a long list, is it not? But the NEW STAR Car gives you all -- and at a price so low that your present ideal of motor car values will have to be revised.

Every Part of a NEW STAR Car-- from roomy, handsome Duco-finished body to the smooth, powerful Continental Red Seal Motor--is a quality part. We will be pleased and proud to point them out to you, one by one.

The NEW STAR is Supreme in the Low Cost Field.

Raymond
Service Station

J. D. HALL

Chrysler Cars

Dealer

Star Cars

Use Want Ads--They Pay Big

Mr. I. A. Field Meet

The following are the events and winners of the M. I. A. Field Meet. Winners are placed in first, second and third order according to merit. "1st" or "2nd" after Magrath or Raymond indicates the ward only.

1. Scout Pursuit Race (7 scouts).....
Raymond 2nd Ward, Magrath 1st Ward
2. Junior running high jump.....
W. Court R. 1st, J. Strong R. 2nd, A. Coffin S. distance 4 ft. 10 in.
3. Senior running high jump.....
O. Hill R. 2nd, H. Christensen S., Lowell Court R. 1st, height 5 ft. 11 in
4. Senior 220 yard Dash.....
E. Nelson S., Roi Stone R. 1st, Reed Kirkham R. 1st.
5. Junior 1/4 mile relay (4 men).....
Raymond 2nd, Raymond 1st, Stirling.
6. Senior 1/4 mile relay (any number).....
Raymond 1st, Raymond 2nd, Stirling.
7. Junior running broad jump.....
G. Turner M. 1st, K. Dahl, R. 2nd, O. Larsen S. distance 17 ft. 5 in
8. Senior running broad jump.....
R. Kirkham R. 1st, O. Hill R. 2nd, H. Christensen S. distance 18 ft. 7 in
9. Scout time race.....
Stirling, Magrath 1st, Raymond 1st, time 6 min. 7 sec.
10. Senior 100 yard dash.....
R. Kirkham R. 1st, E. Nelson S., M. Wolsey M. 1st, time 10 2-5 sec.
11. Junior 75 yard dash.....
K. Dahl R. 2nd, J. Strong R. 2nd, F. Weaver R. 1st, time 9 1-5 sec.
12. Senior pole vaults.....
H. Fairbanks R. 2nd, H. Bryner R. 1st, H. Christensen S., height 9 ft. 7
13. Junior pole vault.....
R. Hawkins R. 2nd, W. VanOrman R. 1st, L. Hill S., height 8 ft.
14. Senior 440 yard dash.....
W. VanOrman R. 1st, A. Lund R. 2nd, H. Fairbanks R. 2nd, time 58 1-5
15. Junior 1/2 mile run.....
R. Hawkins R. 2nd, L. Hill S., E. Zemp R. 2nd, 2 min. 32 4-5 sec.
16. Y. L. 75 yard dash.....
L. Naylor M. 1st, L. Depew R. 1st, C. Peterson S. time 9 3-5 sec.
17. Seniors 1/4 mile run.....
P. Dahl R. 2nd, E. Nelson S., E. Burr R. 2nd, time 2 min. 26 1-5 sec.
18. Y. L. 1/4 mile relay (any number).....
Raymond 1st, Magrath 2nd, Magrath 1st and Raymond 2nd.
19. Junior running hop step and jump.....
W. Court R. 1st, G. Turner M. 1st, F. Zaugg S., distance 37 ft. 9 in.
20. Senior running hop step and jump.....
B. Rolfsen R. 1st, E. Burr R. 2nd, F. Zaugg S. distance 37 ft. 10 in.
21. Potato race (Junior).....
E. Remp R. 1st, K. Stone R. 1st, G. Harker M. 1st.
22. Senior 1 mile run.....
W. VanOrman R. 2nd, L. Spencer M. 2nd, M. Vance.
23. Senior shot put.....
V. Spackman S. J. Walker R. 2nd, E. Hudson M 2nd, dis. 40 ft. 8 in.
- Y. M. Tennis Singles: D. Paris Raymond 2nd.
- Y. L. Tennis Doubles: V. Oler and E. Fawns Stirling
- Junior Y. L. Volley Ball: Raymond 2nd.
- M. Men's Baseball Finals: Raymond 2nd.

Week-End Savings

Malkin's New Pack Jam

Raspberry 70c
Gooseberry 75c
Strawberry 85c

Exceptional Grocery Values

Salmon 2 for 25c
Peanut Butter 30c
Sliced Pineapple 2 for 35c
Catsup 2 cans 25c
Bottle Catsup 25c
Van Camps Soup 2 for 25c
Rice, Sago, Tapioca 3 for 25c
Walnuts (halves) per lb 45c
Fresh Fig Newtons per lb 22c

Special! Forty-four Super Values in Made to Measure Suits. End of Season Reductions.
\$35 Suits now \$19 \$60 Suits now \$46

Bennett & Co. Ltd.
THE PEOPLE'S STORE

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The third biennial convention of the World's Federation of Education Societies will meet in Toronto, Aug. 4 to 10, 1927.

Premier Taschereau, of Quebec, declared there will be no provincial elections this year. "The people of Canada have enough to consider and solve already," he remarked.

Films of British cabinet members are to be sent to British consular resorts, where the pictures of Premier Baldwin, Foreign Secretary Chamberlain and others will be offered as programme features.

Professional mendicants, of Hamilton, who establish themselves on the downtown streets and seek alms by playing various instruments or selling small wares are to be ordered off the streets by the chief of police.

Hon. W. G. Ormsby-Gore, under-secretary of state for the dominions, states that he is not aware of any change being made in the arrangements for the Imperial conference owing to the situation in Canada.

Arnaldo Mussolini, brother of Italy's premier, has challenged General Benavente to a duel. The challenge follows critical comments by the general, who is a well-known leader of the opposition to the Fascist Government, on an article written by the premier's brother.

Less than one per cent. of the cattle tested in the tuberculosis free area, which is being established in Saskatchewan in the Last Mountain district, have reacted to the test so far, and Hon. C. M. Hamilton, minister of agriculture for the province, is highly gratified at the splendid showing of the cattle in this territory.

The minimum demand for agricultural machinery in Russia for the current year is estimated at 120,135 million pre-war rubles, according to a statement in the forthcoming issue of the Commercial Intelligence Journal.

Three large steamships operated by the United American Lines—the Resolute, Reliance and Cleveland—have been sold to the Hamburg-American line in exchange for a financial interest in the German company.

Russians To Colonize Wrangell

A Russian expedition is on its way to colonize Wrangell Island in the Arctic Ocean, North of Siberia, and rename it Lenin Mitroff.

The expedition, to a Russian ice-breaker, the Krasny Oktib (Red October) was scheduled to leave East Cape, Siberia, on the west side of Bering Straits, June 25 for the island, or Mitroff, rechristened in memory of Nicholas Lenin, considered the creator of Soviet Russia.

To Wrangell Island, for whose exploration and colonization loss of 18 lives in three expeditions has been listed in 13 years, the Krasny Oktib was taking 20 families of Chukchees (Siberian Eskimos) 100 dogs, and 25 reindeer. Equipment of the colony includes 3,000 reindeer pelts for clothing, and six large Eskimo skin boats. Provisions on the Red October for Lenin Mitroff were calculated to last three years. Those familiar with the survey of Wrangell Island (or Lenin Mitroff) pronounce it uninhabitable. This because of cold, inaccessibility, absence of fuel and extreme scarcity of food.

Royalty Engages In Business

Russian Court Women Meet With Success In Commerce

The manner in which ladies of the Russian court have fitted themselves into the life of commerce in Paris is a matter of much comment in the French press.

The Grand Duchess Marie went to work as an ordinary woman in a French embroidery house to learn her chosen profession, and now employs dozens of her compatriots in her own place. In another dressmaking establishment, Princess Obolenskii is the cashier and bookkeeper. Princess Troubetskoi is the general manager of the cutting room, and Mile. Anlenkoff has charge of fittings.

New Settlers Satisfied In Alberta
More than 500 families have been located in Alberta in the last year under the 3,000-family scheme, according to W. S. Woods, of the land settlement board. Mr. Woods states that the newcomers are doing splendidly and are well satisfied with their present conditions and their prospects.

The average man loses five and a half days a year through illness between the ages of twenty and thirty; twenty days between the ages of fifty and sixty.

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French War Debt

British-Franco Agreement is Wide In Scope

An agreement was signed recently for the funding of the French war debt to Great Britain after a conference between Winston Churchill, chancellor of the British exchequer, and Joseph Caillaux, French minister of finance, and a subsequent discussion with treasury officials to draft the terms of the agreement.

The settlement covers not only the French war debt, but virtually all the outstanding accounts between Great Britain and France. Announcement to this effect was made in the House of Commons by Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer. The French payments, he said, would be £4,000,000; £6,000,000; £8,000,000 and £10,000,000, rising to £12,500,000 annually, the last named figure being reached in 1930.

From 1930 to 1956, the payment would be £12,500,000 annually, rising to £14,000,000 for the final 31 years.

M. Caillaux expressed himself as greatly pleased with his reception in London and especially with Mr. Churchill's amiability.

The full payment terms are £12,500,000 for 62 years and France will not be required to pay the deficiency of these five years of partial moratorium until after a long period, probably 25 or 30 years. The £50,000,000 of French gold now held in the Bank of England as a pledge, will henceforth be regarded as part of the reserve of the Bank of France. There is also a safeguarding clause to protect France's interests should Germany default in her reparations payments.

France also is granted a transfer clause, whereby, in the event of her large payment to Britain endangering the stability of the franc, the annual payment will be postponed.

Britain Rewards German Firms

Combat Wholesale Forgeries By Use Of Secret Service

While European bankers are maintaining an elaborate private detective system to combat wholesale forgeries, the German Reichsbank has uncovered attempts by persons in some of the British possessions to induce German lithography and engraving firms to print quantities of spurious English pound notes.

Requests for such work are said to have been received from Africa, India and Australia.

One man, in British West Africa, wrote six firms in Germany, enclosing a pound note to each as a sample and ordering several thousand "reproductions." He directed that the counterfeit notes be shipped inside accordions. The engravers turned the letters over to the Reichsbank which notified the Bank of England.

The British Government, through the German embassy, thanked the German firms for the exposure and sent a reward of 50 pounds.

Canada Wins Kolapore Cup

Canadian Marksmen Defeat Picked Teams to Gain Trophy

Canada, for the second consecutive year, won the Imperial Kolapore Cup, one of the greatest service rifle matches at Bisley. The Canada marksmen defeated picked teams of eight from the Mother Country, India, Jersey, Guernsey and the Gold Coast to hold the trophy by six points.

The team selected from Canada's Bisley contingent, and including Lieut. Desmond Burke, of Ottawa, King's prize winner of two years ago, led by ten points after the first round of ten shots at 300 yards. They increased this lead to 14 points at the 500-yard distance and though it was cut down at the final shoot at 600 yards, still were victorious by a moderately substantial margin.

Road Improvements

Announcement Made of Awarding of Contracts For Work In Saskatchewan

Announcement is made by the deputy minister of highways, province of Saskatchewan, that the contract for improvement of road from Midale to Halbrite has been awarded to Oliver Hanson and Oscar Hanson, of Estevan, Sask., at approximately \$14,500. A similar contract for improvement of road from Morse, south across Reed Lake, three miles, has been awarded to Fred Mannix, of Calgary, Alta., at approximately \$25,000, and the contract for improvement of road from Baldwin to Freemont, has been awarded to H. S. Stewart, of Battleford, Sask., at approximately \$14,500.

Calgary's Population

Calgary and district has a population of 77,980, according to the latest city directory. The directory takes in portions of the outlying business districts for business purposes, but Calgary city officials estimate the population at 75,000.

Japanese Nobleman
Passes Through Canada

The Right Honorable Viscount

Kelmin Mitsuudara, attache to His Imperial Highness Prince Chichibu, second son of the Emperor of Japan, has just gone across Canada after landing at Quebec on the S.S. Empress of France and from Montreal, Windsor station, where he was photographed, by Trans-Canada Limited to Vancouver where he will sail for Yokohama for a few months' vacation with his family. The Viscount was educated at Balliol College, Oxford, and stated that Prince Chichibu was also entering Oxford this next term and will occupy the rooms at Magdalen College formerly in use by the Prince of Wales. He said that Anglo-Japanese relations were of the most cordial description especially those obtaining between the respective royal families of the two countries. While this was the third time he had passed through the Dominion he had never been able to stay here for any length of time and looked forward to the day when he would sample some of the hunting and fishing facilities of the country, especially British Columbia which is within a twenty-day return trip of Japan. The Viscount will return through Canada to England in the fall.



Tiers! Tiers! Tiers!

With them you are smart—without them, that's another story. In this smart frock of printed crepe the slightly flared flounces are slashed in an interesting manner before being set onto the straight dress. There are gathers at each shoulder where the back joins the front. The dress opens at the neck far enough to permit it to slip over the head easily, and long set-in sleeves have their fullness neatly gathered into narrow wrist bands. No. 1239 is in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust. Size 36 bust requires 5 1/2 yards 36 inch figured crepe. Price 20 cents.

How To Order Patterns

Address—Winnipeg Newspaper Union,
175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. Size

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Name

Town

Search For Lost People

Missing Persons Bureau of New York
Police Department Handles
Difficult Cases

A stage magician, before putting on the familiar "disappearing lady" act, would do well to comb his noddies for members of the missing persons bureau of the New York police department.

During the past year this bureau has had to deal with 25,000 real life disappearances, far more baffling than those from the magician's trick cabinet. Since the bureau was opened in 1917 more than 120,000 such cases have been handled. And more than 99 per cent. of the vanished persons have been found.

When someone "drops out of sight," as the saying is, it would seem to the inexperienced searcher that all the world must be dragged with a fine net. Some of the disappearances are so unexpected, and apparently inexplicable that it seems to relatives and friends that the lost one must have slipped out of known life altogether and be in some strange sphere such as Alice found on the other side of the looking glass.

Adults (and it is interesting to learn from Lieutenant Ayres that of the 25,000 persons reported missing to the bureau last year only 6,000 were children) disappear usually either because of financial or domestic trouble, with the "other woman" or the "other man" as the directing force in many instances.

Cause and Effect

Swift Punishment As a Substitute For
Dilatory Judicial Proceedings

There were 151 homicides in England and Wales in 1923, the latest statistics show. The population of the country was about 38,000,000.

In New York city, with 6,000,000 people, the homicides for the same year totalled 308, or twice as many for one-sixth of the population.

There is no available information about the number of murderers executed in England and Wales in 1923, but experience leads to the belief that the ratio of executions to crimes was high, for that is the way things are done in England. However, the number of murderers executed in New York was 16, or about 1 in 20 of the criminals. The following year, 1924, there were four executions in all New York state, and it is not a matter for surprise that the rate of crime in New York city rose to 387 for the year.

If we tried swift punishment of murderers in this country as a substitute for dilatory judicial proceedings and abuses of the right of habeas corpus we might get down somewhere near the immunity from crime they enjoy in England.—Detroit Free Press.

May Remain Until September

His Excellency Lord Byng Not Leaving Immediately on Expiration of Term of Office

His Excellency Lord Byng will remain in Canada until the middle or later part of September. While his term expires in August, the date of the governor-general's leaving is always a matter of arrangement between him and his successor in the office. As Lord Willingdon has not been long in England after his trip to China, it is not thought that he can arrange to get out here before the latter part of September. Lord Byng and Lord Willingdon will arrange so that the outgoing and incoming governor-generals will meet at Quebec.

No governor-general has ever exactly left at the conclusion of his term. It is stated at Ottawa. While the period of the appointment is five years, it is not any way an arbitrary rule that the old governor-general must leave and the new one arrive on the exact date of expiration. The political situation, it is stated, has nothing to do with Lord Byng's decision to remain here until September.

Served In the War

Mystery Woman of British Near East Diplomacy Is Dead

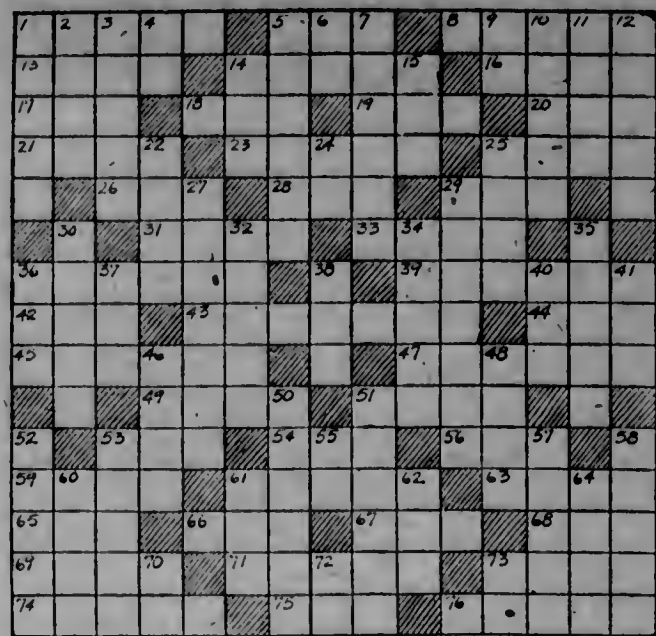
Miss Gertrude Bell, "the mystery woman" of British Near East diplomacy, is dead.

Miss Bell was 60 years old and a graduate of Oxford University. She travelled extensively and had acquired considerable knowledge of the Near East. During the world war she was an intelligence agent for the British army in Egypt. Later she served as a political official in Baghdad and was credited with playing an important role in the formation of Great Britain's post war policy in the Near East.

For every man who is unable to stand prosperity there are millions who would like to try.

Don't doubt the man who says "everything goes." It usually does.

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal

- 1—Fastened, as a shoe.
- 5—A coal scuttle.
- 8—Nobleman's landed estate.
- 13—Disclosed to view.
- 14—Pertaining to the moon.
- 16—Female of the horse.
- 17—Wager.
- 18—Because.
- 19—At this moment.
- 20—Pole.
- 21—Pivotal point.
- 23—Extended area of land.
- 25—Small valley.
- 26—Novel.
- 28—Expression of assent.
- 29—Small cask.
- 31—Roguish.
- 33—Water from clouds.
- 36—Signify.
- 39—Whiten.
- 42—Bustle.
- 43—Many.
- 44—Spawn of fish.
- 45—Cries like a sheep.
- 47—Pastboard box.
- 49—To net.
- 51—Violent anger.
- 53—Article of furniture.
- 54—Lyric poem.

Vertical

- 1—Pertaining to the lobe.
- 2—Highest point.
- 3—Oil derived from whales.
- 4—Half an em.
- 5—Shout of triumph.
- 6—Upon.
- 7—One who dances.
- 8—Part of "to be."
- 10—A Moslem ruler.
- 11—Spoken.
- 12—Regenerate.
- 14—Parcel of land.
- 15—Decay.
- 22—Settle, shillon.
- 24—Forever.
- 25—Hill of loose sand.
- 27—Wrenched.
- 29—Cultivation.
- 30—Kitchen utensil.
- 32—Plant of the mustard family.
- 34—Manila hemp.
- 35—To laze nui.
- 36—Queen of the faeries.
- 37—Light of the foot.
- 38—Put down.
- 40—Skill.
- 41—Female fowl.
- 46—So be it.
- 48—Torn.
- 50—Deference.
- 51—Clive.
- 52—Calcereous secretion forming reefs.
- 53—Make obscure.
- 55—First note of the scale.
- 57—Defied.
- 58—Check.
- 60—Evil.
- 61—French metric measure.
- 62—Obtained.
- 64—Uncommon.
- 70—Perform.
- 72—Egyptian sun-god.
- 73—Note of diatonic scale.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 25

THE PASSOVER

Lesson: Exodus 11:1-12:36.
Devotional Reading: Psalm 91:1-7.

Explanations and Comments

Instruction As To the Instituting of the Passover, verses 1-11.—In the words of Rabbi Wise, it is the natal day of the first independent nation constituted upon the principles of liberty and equality. It was fitting that the new era should be dated from that deliverance. To Moses and Aaron came the assurance that God would a change in the calendar to commemorate the great deliverance he would accomplish for them. "This month shall be unto you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year to you." This month was the month Abib, which corresponded to the end of March and the beginning of April. The month Tishri, the month of harvest, had been the beginning of the year. After the Exile the month Abib was known by the Babylonian name of Nisan, it was the month of their birth as a nation, and therefore it was fitting that as a perpetual reminder it should be the beginning of their year. "The later Jews had a two fold computation of the year—the ecclesiastical year, which began in autumn, in the seventh month of the sacred year. In Egypt the year properly began with the summer equinox, when the Nile commenced to rise" (Edersheim).

Gets Plans Of Crow Trap

Will Blue Print Jack Miner's Contrivance and Distribute Copies
Plans and specifications of the crow trap, invented and used with success by Jack Miner, Canadian naturalist, have been furnished by request to the biological survey of the department of agriculture at Washington, D.C. Last winter, it is understood that the United States department of agriculture intended to prepare blue prints of the Jack Miner crow trap for free distribution throughout the United States and Canada.

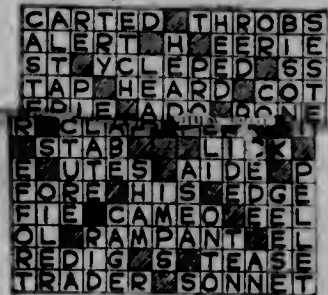
Iceland Faces Economic Crisis

Owing to a poor fishing season and small market, Iceland is reported to be facing an economic crisis and the Icelanders are struggling ineffectually to stabilize their currency. It now is feared that the principal industry will suffer, as the big fishing fleet may be forced to rest in the harbor all summer.

Alberta Sheep Raising Industry

Sheep raising is becoming an important industry in Alberta and it is estimated that there is a 25 per cent. increase in number this year over last. The wool clip this year is expected to be exceptionally good, estimates placing it at about 2,000,000 pounds.

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle.



Safer Flying Craft

To Make Travel In the Air As Safe As On Land Or Sea

The time is coming when it will be as safe to travel in the air as on the land or the sea. In the opinion of the board of trustees of the Guggenheim Fund for the promotion of aeronautics, and to hasten the arrival of this era the board will sponsor an international competition for the construction of safer aeroplanes.

Between \$150,000 and \$200,000 will be appropriated from the fund to finance the contest, the board has announced. It hopes that the best designers and builders of aircraft throughout the world will compete. Stimulation of commercial air transportation is the chief aim of the board. In its opinion aviation has too long been limited to principally military uses.

An Interesting Ceremony

U. S. Scouts Send British Comrades Bronze Statuette

An interesting little ceremony took place in Gilwell Park, Essex, when the Prince of Wales, in behalf of the British Boy Scouts, 150 of whom were present, accepted at the hands of the United States ambassador, Alanson B. Houghton, a bronze statuette of an American bison, the gift of the Boy Scouts of the United States as a token of goodwill and friendship.

The statuette is dedicated to the "unknown scout" who, by doing a good turn to a United States tourist, induced the United States to take up the scout movement.

Turkish Traffic Police

Traffic police in Constantinople take excessive pride in their dress and carriage. They wear crimson and brass helmets and carry a balon of red and white stripes which resemble sticks of peppermint candy. They take great pride in outdoing one another in the neatness of their uniforms and in their carriage. The effect is striking to tourists visiting that country.

There are said to be nearly 200 cases of leprosy in Paris.

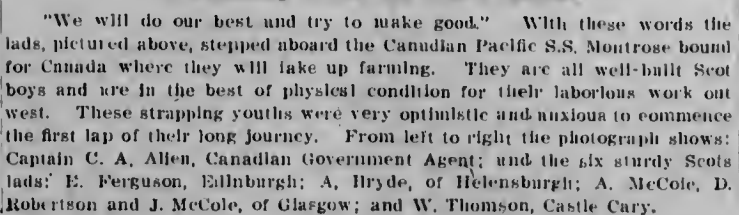
London.—The Daily Mail says there has been discussion in ministerial circles of the desirability of sending a commission to the United States to study the methods whereby high wages are earned there. The mission would be similar in character to that recently sent by The Mail. The paper says no decision has been made but if industrial peace is restored in Great Britain such a commission probably will be sent in the fall.

Proposed Date For Imperial Conference Set For October Fifth

Premier Baldwin said that the following would be the chief economic

Manila.—The national supreme council, representing the combined Filipino political parties, has decided to ask the Philippines legislature to adopt a resolution reiterating the desire of a Filipino people for immediate and absolute independence.

Winnipeg.—Charles J. Brown, city clerk, Winnipeg, for 43 years, and one of the oldest pioneers in Manitoba, died here, aged 71. He had been ill several weeks.



Ottawa.—Advance polls will be provided for the accommodation of seamen who expect to be absent on polling day in the forthcoming elections, Col. O. M. Biggar, chief electoral officer, announced.

Bitter Feeling In France Against United States Over Collapse Of Currency

London.—The Daily Telegraph says the rumors which have been prevalent here for the past few days to the effect that the Imperial conference would be postponed because of the unsettled parliamentary situation in Canada "are unfounded." The Canadian authorities have not requested that the date for the convening of the conference be set back and there is no reason to believe that representatives of the Dominion will not be in attendance, the paper declares.

Edmonton.—All attendance records for the Edmonton exhibition were shattered when 32,168 people turned out for citizen's day at the fair. The previous high record was 27,052, set last year. Ideal weather conditions prevailed.

Saskatchewan Grain Growers And Farmers' Union Are Amalgamated

A second or so pause and from the hall came a voice, "Question," the vote was taken. Again there was

Executions In Turkey

use in places where it is too expensive. Bey, deputy from Esulid; Zia Hourid Bey, a former deputy, and Ruchi Pasha, deputy from Erzerom. Evidence was adduced at the trial to show that the plot was conceived last December by a group of individuals closely associated with the opposition party.

New Governor-General

The ceremony of administering the oath of office to the governor-general was performed in the ancient capital in the cases of the Duke of Devonshire and Baron Byng of Vimy and the belief here inclines to a continuance of this procedure.

London.—The King has approved the appointment of Sir Ronald Lindsay as ambassador at Berlin. Sir Robert has been ambassador at Constantinople since 1925. His post will be taken over by Sir George Russell Clerk, minister at Prague.

Plants Tell The Story

Knowing How Plants Grow and How They Feed Is of Great Importance to the Farmer

How many farmers at this time of the year take the time and trouble to examine their grain and grass crops to ascertain insofar as it is possible just what the plants are saying in their own way about the conditions they are growing under? It is well worth while for farmers to note, for example, the color, size, vigor and condition of plants growing in their fields and to try and read the story told there. Some of the questions which might be answered in this way are: Why do some plants outgrow and promise greater returns than others in the same or immediate neighborhood? Are insects and diseases attacking some and leaving others? Why do some look so healthy and strong while others do not?

Answers in part at least have been obtained by many farmers and may be secured by others. Knowing how plants grow and how they feed is of very great importance, and knowledge of these facts is valuable in dollars and cents to everyone who grows crops to sell or feed. Wise stockmen know when their animals are going well and are thriving on the feed supplied them, and plants indicate just as clearly when they need more moisture and plant food. How many farmers say that their crops need rain when at the same time they might add quite truthfully that they needed plant food as well. It is not meant that fertilizers are needed, but that the soil for some reason has not been yielding food in sufficient quantities and of the right kind to produce a maximum crop. Plants tell this story quite plainly to those who can read their language. Cultivation practices have much to do with the plant food available. The blame or reward should be properly placed.

It must be admitted that underfed plants are inefficient both from an economical and nutritive viewpoint, which fact is made quite plain by the color, size and condition of countless fields. Interpret the story told by the plants and apply the remedy. It is important to examine the fields of growing crops and to read and interpret what the plants say, to obtain maximum production and profits.—Free Press

Exploration Stunts

Sensational Expeditions to the North Pole Devoted of Geographical Value

Recent exploration flights in the region of the North Pole that clamored for world attention, did not pass unnoticed. The cost of their lavish outfitting probably was unequalled in the history of exploration. They essayed a programme scientists admitted was ambitious; and now that the attempt has been made, what has been accomplished? To fly over where Peary trod is meager fulfillment, lending force to the criticism of the president of the Royal Geographical Society, condemning these expeditions as "stunts," intended for the sensational, devoid of geographical value.

One hundred and twenty years ago next month Lewis and Clarke reached the hidden sources of the Missouri, which had never before been seen by civilized man; and as they quenched their thirst, they felt themselves rewarded for all their labors and all their difficulties. They left reluctantly this interesting spot and arrived at the top of a ridge, forming "the dividing line between the waters of the Atlantic and the Pacific Oceans." They stopped to taste, for the first time, of the headwaters of the Columbia, and then proceeded on their way, following the sun toward Oregon and the Pacific.

Since that land west of the Missouri was discovered it has been inhabited with a population greater than then peopled the British Isles.

An inland empire that grows the fairer and becomes the richer each year some now part of it is more fully explored was discovered when Simon Fraser tracked a way on foot and in canoe from the north down through upper British Columbia.

Capt. Palliser would hardly permit himself to be advertised as an explorer, yet his discovery of the Kicking Horse Pass opened the way for a system of transportation that is now world gliding. Franklin demarcated the north shore of this Dominion, and when he gave his life in the Arctic, had discovered the Northwest Passage, across which aviators have been flying this summer.—Free Press

Three New Laws Daily

Too Much Legislation Is a Worry To Business Men and Others

An average of about three new laws come on the statute books of Canada every day of the year. The number of laws introduced in the ten parliaments of Canada last year was over 1,200. Most of them passed into law. It is getting to be impossible for the average man to follow all the legislation that is introduced in Canada this year. It may be argued that he does not have to do this; that he need only follow the legislation of the Dominion government and of the province in which he resides. That in itself would be a heavy enough burden, but business men know that that is not enough; that they must watch the bills of the provincial legislature of every province in which they are doing business. Secretaries of trade and other associations who read carefully every bill proposed, are put to it to keep informed on the meaning behind the sundry and numerous bills that zealous legislators would fashion into laws.

We have not reached the ridiculous limits noted in some American States, where laws are turned out by the thousand; nor have we gone to the other extreme, exemplified by Alabama, where the state assembly meets only once in four years and then pays its legislators such small wages that they do not bother to meet much longer than to shake hands and O.K. the bills.

Our yearly production of legislation is getting to be too much of a good thing.—Financial Post

Estimated Wheat Yield

Canada's estimated wheat yield as indicated by the crop conditions on June 20, is 348,626,900 bushels. The yield estimated for the prairie provinces according to a crop report issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics is 328,226,000 and for the rest of the Dominion, 21,400,000 bushels. Total estimated yield for oats on June 30 is 458,840,000; barley, 100,624,000.

British Columbia Industries

In three years British Columbia's industrial payroll has increased \$10,000,000 a year. This is one of the striking facts brought out in statistics carefully prepared by the Provincial Workmen's Compensation Board. The increase was from \$130,000,000 in 1922 to \$160,000,000 in 1925.

Radio station at Rugby, England, running at quarter power, was heard plainly in Java and Hong Kong.

She.—Let's do something unusual.
He.—All right, you pay for the tickets.

To Preserve Virgin B.C. Forest

Only Bit of Original Forest Remaining May Be Saved From Lumbermen's Axe

Efforts are being made to have the tract of original forest known as the "Green Timbers," four miles south-east of New Westminster, B.C., pass into the hands of the federal administration for preservation as a national possession.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, acting minister of the interior, is endeavoring, with this object in view, to arrange with the present berth holders of a transfer of this tract to the Federal Government, in exchange for a timber area elsewhere.

Recently representatives from British Columbia interviewed the government at Ottawa, and pointed out the importance of preserving this virgin forest both from the provincial and national point of view.

This historic tract is situated not far from the international boundary, and is said to constitute an unequalled advertisement of British Columbia's forest wealth, drawing attention of outsiders to the resources of the province in this respect. The stand lies along the Pacific Highway in full view of those who enter the province by this route, providing a unique tourist attraction, since, in the whole 1,700 miles from San Diego, Cal., to Vancouver, it is the only remaining bit of original forest.

The large sum of money necessarily involved in the purchase of the stand has hitherto defeated efforts to save the tract. If the arrangement now proposed by Mr. Stevens can be carried through, it will solve the principal obstacle in the way of preserving the forest.

Automobile Production

Following a slight recession in April the production of automobiles in Canada continued its upward trend in May to reach a new high level of 24,934 units, valued at \$15,761,615. This output compares with 21,502 units, worth \$13,754,390 in the previous month. For the five months ending May the cumulative production was 103,127 units, valued at \$62,685,152, as against 78,227 units valued at \$48,197,988 in the corresponding period last year.

Much Energy Spent

The energy spent in dancing the Charleston, says an authority, is equivalent to running the 440 yard dash.—Detroit Free Press

Fools reflect on what they have said: Wise men on what they are going to say.

When To Sow Fall Wheat

Early September Appears to be the Best Time to Sow in the West

Fall wheat should be sown early enough to enable the plants to tiller well and to reach the height of 6 to 7 inches, and thereby collect sufficient snow for winter protection. Ordinarily early September seeding will give the best results, but if soil moisture is plentiful the seeding may be done somewhat later. In experiments to determine the best date on which to sow fall wheat, conducted at the Brandon, Manitoba, experimental farm, and described in the report of the superintendent, wheat was sown on September 5 and 15 and October 5 and 15. The yield per acre in the following year was by far the highest in the case of wheat sown on September 5, and decreased rapidly with each later sowing date.

According to the report, which may be obtained from the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, August seeding is unnecessarily early, and may be even detrimental, as the cold resistance of the plants so sown seems to be diminished. Late seeding on fallow is inadvisable.

Hard Working Authors

Ten Thousand Words Is Day's Work For H. G. Wells

H. G. Wells, the famous British writer, is a hard worker. On some days he will write 10,000 words, which amounts to more than nine columns of ordinary newspaper type. On the other hand Sir James Barrie considers he has done a day's work if he writes 500 words. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is reported to have heard a story one evening at dinner and the next day at breakfast to have produced a "Sherlock Holmes" tale with the incident as the chief plot. He had written the complete story that night.

Jennings.—"See some interesting things in Scotland?"
Shumway.—"Yes, I saw a fountain in Glasgow that was very curious. The Scotchman believe that if they throw a penny into it they will return at some future time."

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Shumway.—"Yes, I saw a fountain in Glasgow that was very curious. The Scotchman believe that if they throw a penny into it they will return at some future time."

From January 1, 1926, 2,656 new settlers have registered at the immigration hall at Edmonton. This breaks all records since 1914.

Bees Have Sense of Direction

Can Always Find Their Way Back to the Hive

How does the bee, after spending a long day gathering honey or pollen far from home, find her way back to the hive?

The senses of smell and sight both help her, but experiments which have been going on for several years in Germany have revealed that the bee has a special "direction-finding" apparatus.

This spreads an informative scent by means of which the hive sisters can "talk" to one another.

The discovery of this means of communication helps to explain how the bee can recognize the position of the hive relative to its surroundings.

She also possesses a mysterious apparatus for balancing which is thought to correspond to the semi-circular canals in the inner ear of mammals, and is almost certainly located in the antennae, or feelers.

Attempts were made to mislead bees by moving the hive from its accustomed position.

When the first home-comers, after some search, found the new roosting place they would gather in a crowd on the alighting board and throw out a scent until the "smell-signal" reached their followers.

If bees were taken away from home in closed boxes and then released it did not take them long to find their bearings.

But if the boxes were first rotated the inmates became giddy, and on being let out had considerable difficulty in finding the way back to the hive, often settling down after some futile attempts, in the boxes from which they had been released.

Immigration Returns

A sharp increase in immigration to Canada in April, 1926, over April, 1925, is shown in an official statement issued by the department of immigration and colonization. The total immigration for April amounted to 17,493, compared with 10,984 for April a year ago. In April, British immigration totaled 7,897; immigration from the United States 2,007, and from other countries 7,589.

Canadian Patents

Eighty-five per cent. of the revenue derived from the issue of patents and copyrights in Canada comes from abroad, according to a government statement. The revenue for 1925 was \$550,530.

The man who is wedded to art should have a model wife.

Natural Resources Bulletin

Exports of Furs Total About Eighteen Million Dollars Annually

Indelibly associated with the earlier periods of Canadian history, fur resources merit a rank among the natural assets of the Dominion immeasurably higher than is suggested solely by the monetary value of the fur trade. It was the quest for fur that led the explorer over a great portion of the territory now embraced within the Dominion, and for several centuries the fur trade played a unique role in shaping political as well as economic development. With the coming of the settler, the lumberman and the miner, the fur trader has long since lost his commercial pre-eminence, but Canada is still conspicuous among fur-trading countries.

Several centuries of constant exploitation have not undermined the capacity of Canada's stock of fur-bearing animals to yield a lending contribution to the world's requirements of furs of superior quality. The immense unsettled territories of the Dominion form the habitat of fur-bearing animals in abundance and exceptional diversity. Every province shares substantially in the returns derived from fur resources, and the Northwest Territories, comprising an area of approximately 1,200,000 square miles, is a reservoir from which, under wise methods of exploitation, a valuable annual catch may be taken in perpetuity. The catch is well maintained from year to year and our exports total about 18 million dollars annually.

The beaver is the most renowned Canadian fur-bearer, although the muskrat is taken in much greater numbers and vies with the former in value of annual yield. Marten, mink, fox, fisher, otter and ermine are trapped in large numbers, and the range of fur resources includes many less prominent species.

Notable development in recent years has been achieved by the fur farming industry. Canada—and more particularly the province of Prince Edward Island—has been a pioneer in respect of this industry. The successful domestication of the silver fox, and the well advanced experiments with mink, knurakul sheep, chinchilla rabbit and other fur-bearer of high pelt value, have introduced a new and profitable branch of animal husbandry which has already reached an investment of many millions of dollars.

Mary Had A Little Lamb

Origin of the Famous Jingle That is Known the World Over

It is nice to know that there really was a Mary and a little lamb, "with fleece as white as snow." They lived in a Massachusetts village. The lamb, deserted by an unfeeling mother, was found by the little girl and taken to her home. "And everywhere that Mary went the lamb was sure to go."

One morning as Mary went singing to school, the woolly little beast heard his mistress' voice, wriggled through the enclosure where he was confined and followed her. At the schoolhouse she smuggled him in, but when she was called to the blackboard the lamb followed her, much to her chagrin and the delight of the rest of the class. The teacher bade her take home her pet.

A young chap named Rowston saw the pair trudging down the road, and two days later came forth with the famous jingle. He never knew that he had written something so well worth doing, for he died shortly after. Somehow the words got published, and thus Mary and her lamb were forever enshrined in the heart of childhood.—The Mentor

World's Greatest Writers

Supplementing Rudyard Kipling's statement that quite a dozen writers have achieved immortality in the past 2,500 years, the Herald-Tribune's consensus of views on authorities in the United States as to the dozen is: Plato, Aeschylus, Euripides, Sophocles, Homer, Dante, Horace, Shakespeare, Virgil, Goethe, Cervantes and Balzac.

Rust-Resisting Wheat

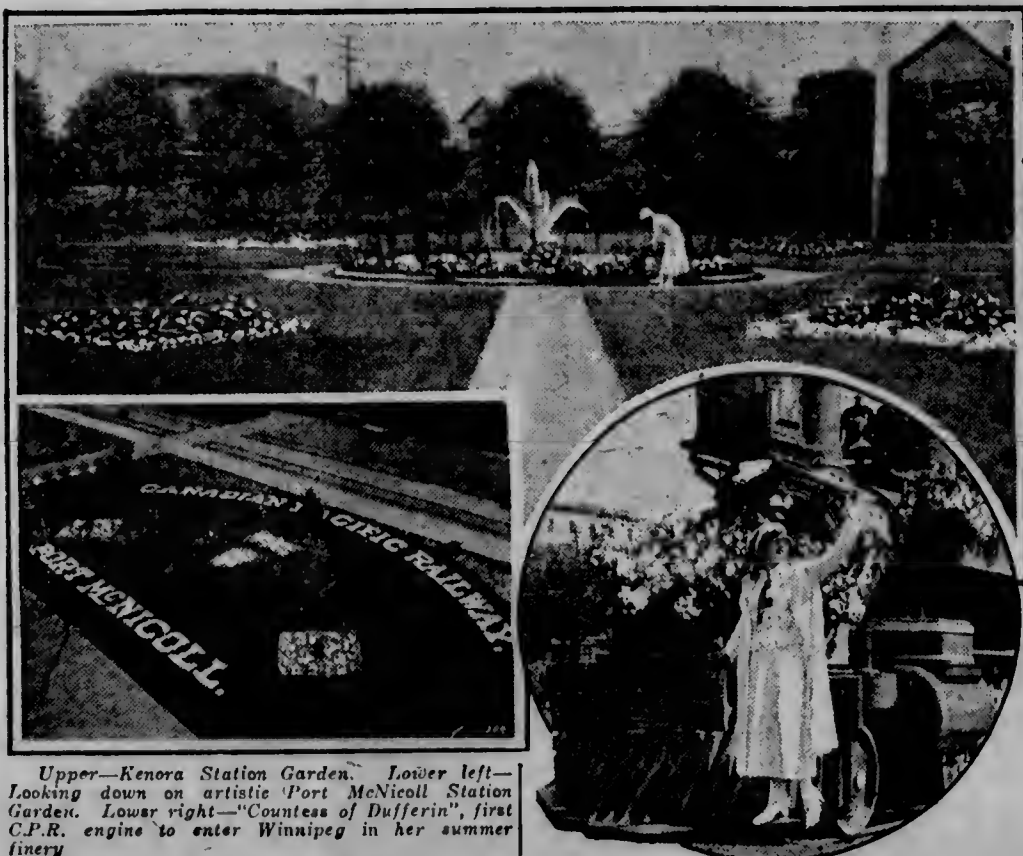
A rust-resisting wheat, achieved by a scientific worker at the university after five years' work, was announced by President J. R. Melean, of the University of Manitoba, at a meeting of the Winnipeg Board of Trade. He was unable to give particulars of the work or the nature of the discovery.

"Did your last employer give you a reference?"
"Yes; but it doesn't seem to be any good."

"What does he say?"
"He said I was one of the best men the firm ever turned out."

It's easy enough to dream of the great things that you are going to do, but don't forget to wake up in time to begin work.

Beautifying the "Garden Railway"



Upper—Kenora Station Garden. Lower left—Looking down on artistic Port McNicoll Station Garden. Lower right—"Countess of Dufferin", first C.P.R. engine to enter Winnipeg in her summer finery

Living up to its title as the "Garden Railway," thousands of trees, shrubs and perennials were shipped out over the whole Canadian Pacific Railway system early in May this year.

These included willows, poplars, limes, spruce, honeysuckle, syringa, Weigela, caragana, hydrangea and many others. The perennials include roses of the climber and rambling variety and of all shades of color, tiger lilies, Iceland poppies, aquilegia, dianthus, Sweet William, pyrethrum, delphinium.

Every year the floral committee of the C.P.R. has the stupendous task of supplying the seeds, trees, shrubs and plants to thousands of stations from Saint John to Victoria. Bulbs are supplied and planted in the fall, rearing their jaunty heads with the melting of the snows in the spring.

The seeds are propagated under glass by experienced gardeners with a view to being transplanted when needed. In addition the committee sends out many thousands of seed packets to station agents and also for use in section foremen's gardens, bunkhouses and around shops. Enormous quantities of bedding stock are also provided and among these are geraniums, cannaes, asters, pansies, salvia, petunias, marigolds, antirrhinum, phlox, kochias, zinnias, verbenas and alyssum.

Railway gardening was introduced in Canada by the Canadian Pacific Railway about thirty-five years ago. The majority of the gardens are laid out and looked after by employees of the system. Locomotive firemen, signal towermen, watchmen, bunkhouse attendants and others take a great interest in the gardens with the help

of horticulturists. Every employee is alive to the importance and the pleasure of making the railway stations blossom. Each one of them is filled with a healthy sense of emulation and the desire to make his own garden the beauty spot of the railway. The men treat the whole plan as a hobby. All make the supreme yearly effort to win the general manager's cup, a worthy trophy emblematic of the best floral display along C.P.R. tracks. But the prizes are not limited to this. Every general superintendent offers a prize for his own district, each superintendent gives one for his division and every roadmaster offers one for his sub-division.

During the Great War about 2,000 gardens were converted into vegetable-rising ground and produced large quantities of food supplies for the men overseas.

College Bred Men

American Revolutionary Leaders Were Well Educated

Twenty-three of the fifty-six signers of the Declaration of Independence were college bred men, nearly all of them graduates, according to School Life, a publication of the United States department of interior, bureau of education. Harvard was represented by 8, William and Mary by 3; Yale, 3; Cambridge (England), 3; Princeton, 2; "Philadelphia," 2; Edinburgh, 1; Jesu College at Rheims, 1. Sixteen others received "excellent" or "classical" education, one of them at Westminster School, London. Two obtained all their formal instruction from tutors; and 16, including Franklin, Wythe, Roger Sherman and Robert Morris, had but little schooling.

Watch Needed Watching

Porter Carried Away Gold and Platinum in Case of Timepiece

Leakage of gold and platinum which has been going on for some months in a Brooklyn precious metal factory, was recently run to earth. The pilferer proved to be a porter who used an innocent-looking dollar watch to carry out little bits of gold and platinum. It transpired that the man had thus got away with \$15,000 worth of precious metal, for which he had received only \$100.

Coal Production in Canada

Coal production in Canada during the first quarter of the current year amounted to 3,361,001 tons, according to a report issued by the bureau of statistics. Of this amount Alberta produced 1,194,952 tons; Nova Scotia, 1,102,365; New Brunswick, 51,399; Saskatchewan, 132,167; and British Columbia, 579,818.

"Abe," said Mrs. Cohen, "I was looking out the nicest bedroom suite to-day and, would you believe it, it only costs one hundred and ninety-five dollars!"

"Vot?" exclaimed Mr. Cohen, "a hundred and ninety-five dollars for a bedroom suit. Don't buy it. I can wear my old pyjamas."

Window cleaners aren't the only workers whose occupation is hazardous. We read recently of a magazine editor who dropped eleven stories into a waste basket.

Picnic Sandwiches

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Joanna

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THE STORY THUS FAR

Joanna, a modern, pretty, shop girl, to have a million dollars to spend. Graydon, her employer, tells her. There are no "conditions." She is not even to know the name of her benefactor. Nothing more than this can be learned from banker Eggleson, nor his suave, man-about-town nephew who helps her write her first check and tells her that he intends to make love to her. Dazed by the sudden flood of undreamed-of wealth, crushed by the fact that her shop girl friends will not believe she gained it honorably she is confronted by John her childhood sweetheart. He also seems her tale, angry accusations are said—a scene ensues. Joanna crushed sinks to the door. Later she finds that Mrs. Adams, her landlady, does believe in her. The next day is so devoted to George, a shop girl companion. They plan to spend some of the fortune for finery.

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"Tricks," she confessed, laughing to him. "I could hold my own with George—she's been rather a clown, you know—or with any of the rest. If they had somebody I wanted I usually landed them if I tried, and they had to start early to get anyone away from me—but now, well, I'm in for new competition now."

A woman, a young woman, whose smooth black hair hung to a beautifully formed head; a woman with some dark eyes that suggested twin flowers of night, hovered close to the table and paused. An observer would have thought that she had stopped, and was about to speak to one or the other of the pair at the table. But she moved on, her slender hand fluttering at her escort's elbow. Only one who observed very closely would have detected the almost imperceptible signal that Brandon passed to her with a gesture of his finger. Joanna was not even conscious of the little tableau of an instant. Brandon kept her attention.

"You think then, that your problems will have to do mostly with . . . what you are calling competition from your own sex? That implies that your plans, when formed, will be a conquest of men?"

Joanna's brow wrinkled. "That sounds as if I'd admitted something I shouldn't. Won't you tell me what?"

"But you haven't," he protested, earnestly. "What else should there be for you to plan—but to bring the

moths to your candle-flame. Could there be anything more interesting for a girl so lovely, and so free from care?"

Joanna smiled into his eyes brightly. "There really isn't anything else to do, is there? For a while I shall be buying things. No one will tell me of anything else to do with the money. And there are so many things to buy, I hardly know where to start in. I shall have to find someone, too, to help me. George has been my best girl friend, but she's too much like I am. All she can do is to squeal. That's a trick she developed until it's become second nature to her. I imagine men like you, for example, require more efforts on the part of girls than we could think of behind the silk counter."

Brandon smiled with her. "You mustn't class me as so different from the rest of 'your boys' as you call them. You have succeeded admirably in captivating me, without added wiles. And you can't put me down as a plain fortune hunter, can you? You see I have a famous banker as a dotting uncle and I've heaps of stocks and bonds and such things—you are not to consider me as having set a trap for your millions."

"There—that's what I mean," Joanna flung at him. "I shall have to learn how to meet you and your kind when you say things like that. The best sort of talk I've ever had for a man who went right down into deep water was, 'come in out of the wet,' or something like that. John has been the only one I could ever allow to talk seriously to me about—well, about my ever being married, you know."

Brandon caught the wistfulness in her voice, the wistfulness that came into it at every mention of John. His lips curled again, ever so slightly. "You will have to listen to a great many men who will talk of marriage," he said. "I think it is better for you that you had your little smash, last night before you had plunged too far. John will be waiting, when you are ready to call him—if you really want him."

A deep flush warmed Joanna's face. Her eyes hardened. Brandon saw, but he had been deliberate. He met her eyes coldly. Before she could make her attack he disarmed her.

"I fancy that whoever bestowed a fortune upon you would prefer that you be unflinched in your spending of it—for a time, at any rate. That, though, is only my own conclusion. And I'm wondering if you will fit John into your new career as snugly as you fitted him into the one behind you."

Again Joanna surveyed the company around her while she considered what sort of a reply to make.

She realized that Brandon had been leading up to this—and she was unhappy before a doubt that life had succeeded in planting in her mind. Would John fit in? Now? Into this gay world of pleasure, joy, unrepression, to which she was being admitted? Could she, with him holding up for her the examples of his own old-fashioned ideals, exact from her new opportunities their full need of the only things she knew to be worth while. She hated Brandon, fiercely, she concluded, for conjuring up the doubt. And hated him for the cunning with which he had stirred it.

She was brought abruptly out of her reflections. The woman who had once before hovered at the table, had come up again. Joanna had not seen that quiet signal from Brandon's cigaret which was instantly caught at the nearby table where a woman sat with her escort, a man made much after the pattern of Brandon himself.

Brandon rose and greeted the newcomer. Joanna looked up at her, startled by a sleek, perfectly assembled beauty that was as pungent as the essence of some heavy perfume.

Brandon made his presentations easily. Joanna caught the softness of a foreign sounding name, and heard that Brandon called the stranger, "Yvonne." Despite the pretenses, Joanna sensed, instinctively, that the meeting had been arranged.

CHAPTER X.

Joanna Meets Another Suitor

In the sudden cascade of small talk with which the newcomers were settled into their places at the table by two waiters, each more excitable than the other, Joanna was vaguely uncomfortable—out of her accustomed depths. Her store of smart things seemed utterly inadequate to the easy greetings and petting. Within her own experiences, introductory conversations took one or the other of two set courses—herself, or "himself." She was never concerned with other women, whether they liked her or not. Not the ones who came and went across her horizon. They were all like her, merely rivals, equipped as she was, with the common weapons of our modern flapperhood—lips always shaped for kisses, a ready wisdom that guarded those lips when occasions arose, clothes that added to the lure of her and a skill at defense or attack. In Joanna's scheme of things any girl, these days, must be ready instantly to take the defense or launch an attack—one or the other was certain to be necessary. She and Georgia got along splendidly in the induction of all new acquaintanceships among the available supply of properly mannered, good-looking young chaps with new places to go. She considered now, when she stole a glance at the man who had come up with the woman with the sleek, black hair, that by the time he had said, "How do you do?" to George, that little lady would have blithely inquired of him:

"Well now, look who's here: Why do you think you amount to so much?" And she reflected that, this time, George would get the worst of it in any such encounter.

As she had concluded a moment before, at her first sight of him, Kenneth—"Ruddy," Brandon had called him—was made in the same mold as Brandon, but there was a difference. She disliked Brandon, because she feared that he was to have some tragic influence over her and her mysterious future, but she admitted, he wouldn't be little. He would not be the sort who would plot for some small favor. If he should want to amuse himself with a woman, he would aim at her soul. She knew the kind—and the danger they embodied.

(To be continued)

Good Paying Investment

Britain Has Large Revenue From Shares In Suez Canal

The Empress Eugenie of France was one of the first passengers taken through the Suez Canal when it was officially opened to traffic in 1869. She was aboard the first vessel passed through. Disraeli's purchase of the shares in the Suez Canal which had been held by the Khedive of Egypt, on November 25, 1875, was considered his boldest and timeliest stroke. By this move Great Britain's position in Egypt and the Near East was greatly strengthened. Not only was France curbed but the British nation received an investment that has more than quadrupled in capital value during the fifty years that have elapsed.

Sewing machines were found to be the most popular labor-saving devices in a typical country district surveyed in Ohio. Eighty-eight out of a hundred homes owned them.

Lake Superior, the largest expanse of fresh water in the world, has an area of 31,800 square miles.

Of the 8,788,500 people in Canada, 4,869,900 are of British stock—fifty-five per cent.



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U. S. History Re-Written

Revised Histories For Use In American Public Schools

Antagonism to Britain has been a dominating note in the public school histories of many of the United States down through a century. George III. has been the bete noir of the American common school. Braddock, Burgoyne and Cornwallis have been fair to middling ogres and the Boston tea party has been a prank to rank with Pickett's charge. This has all been natural, considering the frailty of human nature, whether American or Canadian.

Now it appears that a new group of histories of the United States, for use in the public schools, is making its appearance. The world war put the old geographies in the same class as a car without a self-starter and it made the old school histories as out of date as a phonograph with a horn. The histories, it would seem from various reviews of them we notice in the American papers, have considerably upset the old lines of antagonism. Britain comes in for more friendly attention. The Kaiser takes fat George's place in the ducking pool; Von Tirpitz and one Hindenburg now outrank, as objects of scorn, those other Germans who drank much Christian liquor the night that Washington crossed the Delaware.

We wonder what some Anglophobe newspapers think of the new histories. Perhaps they have not seen them yet, their editors being more interested in divorces, scandals, bobbed hair and toothbrushes, evidences of modern civilization, than in the records of other days.—Financial Post.

Historic House For U. S.

the United States

The Chantry House, Billerica, Essex, the 16th century residence of Christopher Martin, one of the leaders of the Pilgrim Fathers, has been sold in London to an American for £10,000. The house will be removed to Boston, where the Pilgrim Fathers landed, and re-erected there. The Pilgrims all assembled in this house before embarking in the Mayflower. Earlier in the year another historic English residence, Warwick Priory, was sold and shipped to an American purchaser; and Agecroft Hall, near Manchester, was similarly purchased. Royton Hall, the home for more than 400 years of the Byron family, is stated to be in danger of following them, an offer having been received by its owner, Dr. J. T. Godfrey, from an American.

No child should be allowed to suffer an hour from worms when prompt relief can be got in a simple but strong remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Expeller.

The Keyless Lock

Is Fitted With a Combination Like a Safe

Something new in the way of locks is the keyless style. This invention works with a combination like that of a safe, and thus saves the carrying of a bulky key.

The combination is controlled by a series of ten rings along the edge of the lock, capable of 1,024 combinations of which the owner may take his choice. Since it is worked by touch the owner can, after a little practice, open it in the dark. No remedy is suggested in case the owner forgets the combination.—Popular Science Monthly.

A Hard Task

The absent-minded drawing-master hauled a cab at the deserted village station. When the cab came up he stood for a few minutes looking at the horse. Suddenly pointing to it, he demanded:

"What is that?"

"A horse, sir," growled the cabby.

"Then rub it out and do it again, sir," said the drawing-master.

After a man secures a girl's hand he sometimes finds she has him under her thumb.

It must be hard on the fingers of mutes to crack jokes.

Minard's Liniment for Burns

Hygienic Clothing

Modern Dress Tends to Lengthen the Lives of Fair Sex

After a great many people inveighing against the modern dress of women, and deciding all sorts of horrible things about short skirts, shingled heads, no corsets, etc., I happened to see an article the other day in which some kind and sympathetic gentlemen, several of them, said that the present-day dress is the most sensible that women have ever worn. In fact one authority states that when women shortened their skirts they lengthened their lives, because long skirts were so bad for them. I can't help feeling a sort of shrinking hope that women won't lengthen their lives any more by shortening skirts is the way to it. The poor little things—I mean the skirts, you know—haven't got much more than they can spare. Also I read the small amount of undergarments that women wear now is conducive to health, and not the reverse; and if men would only take example by us, and scrap half the garments they wear, they might put five years on to their lives. It is all so pleasant and satisfactory to know that we are walking on the right road, isn't it? and making progress.—Glasgow Herald.

Hidden Beauty In An Opal

Colors In This Gem Are Said to be Never Twice Alike

The opal is now one of the most popular gems, and women who have always been superstitious about opals are now buying them.

"People realize at last that there is hidden beauty in an opal," said the manager of one of the largest jewelers in London.

"If you look steadily into an opal you notice that the colors are never twice alike, and one can almost see the internal fire."

"One particular specimen of this stone which is selling well, looks almost like the eyes of a tiger."

"Black opals are also very popular. These come from Ceylon."

"The opal is an afternoon stone, and diamonds, pearls, and emeralds are worn in the evening. No woman who wishes to be in the height of fashion would wear an opal ring in the evening."

The Family Physician.—The good doctor is always worth his fee. But it is not always possible to get a doctor just when you want him. In such cases, when you are in a hurry, one of the reliable home remedies, such as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which is wonderfully effective in easing inflammatory pains and healing cuts, scratches, bruises and sprains. The presence of this remedy in the family medicine chest saves many a fee.

Little Helps For This Week

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding. Prov. III, 5.

Oh let Thy sacred will All Thy delight in me fulfill! Let me not think an action mine own way.

But as Thy love shall sway, Resigning up the rudder to Thy skill. —George Herbert.

Our helm is given up to a better guidance than our own. The course of events is quite too strong for any helmsman; and our little wherry is taken in two by the ship of the Great Admiral, which knows the way, and has the force to draw men and states and planets to their goal. —Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Delicate Instruments have been invented which enable an aviator to steer safely to a given point in the thickest fog.

"I hear you're moving nearer to London, McTavish. How's that?"

"Ma crystal act's na loud enough."

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Artificial Vitamines

Important Discovery Is Claimed to Have Been Made in Germany

The discovery of a method of producing vitamins artificially is reported to have been made by three scientists, whereby it is possible to impregnate various foodstuffs with vitamins.

For the present, the names of the scientists have not been made public, for the particular reason, it is stated, that in the next few days Leipzig University will issue important details of the discovery.

RED HOT JULY DAYS HARD ON THE BABY

July—the month of oppressive heat; red-hot days and sweltering nights; is extremely hard on little ones. Diarrhoea, dysentery, colic and cholera infantum carry off thousands of precious little lives every summer. The mother must be constantly on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they come on suddenly to fight them. No other medicine is of such aid to mothers during the hot summer as Dr. Williams' Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels and stomach, and an occasional dose given to the well child will prevent summer complaint, or if the trouble does come on suddenly will banish it. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Britain's Radio Fog Signal

Apparatus Controlled by Wireless Has Been Perfected

The perfection of a fog-signalling apparatus, controlled by wireless, for use in places where it is too expensive otherwise to maintain, has been announced by the Marconi Company.

The first wireless-controlled fog signal has been established in the Firth of Clyde, Scotland. When a fog is observed from the central station, the keeper sends out wireless impulses which start a gun firing once every twenty seconds until the keeper stops it by another set of wireless impulses. The invention is expected to greatly reduce the expense of maintaining fog signals.

Your Home Medicine Chest.—Among the standard household remedies that should always be on hand in your home medicine chest, none is more important than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Its manifold usefulness in relieving pain and healing sickness is known by many thousands throughout the land. Always use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for relieving rheumatism and sciatica pains, treating sore throats and chests, coughs, burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sprains.

Cause For Sorrow

Small Boy: "What was the name of the last station we stopped at, mother?"

Mother: "I don't know. Be quiet." "It's a pity you don't know, mother, because Johnnie got out of the train there."

Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism

Alberta Lumber Production Lumber production in Alberta last year was valued at \$311,000, according to finally revised figures issued by the bureau of statistics. A total of 32,700,000 feet of lumber was cut.

DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION FOR MRS. PENN

She Escaped It by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Windsor, Ont. — "After the birth of my first baby I was very much run-down in health and the doctor said I must have an operation as I was suffering from a displacement. A friend wanted me to try your medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and I took it steadily for a year. During this time I was carrying my second baby and I felt real well all the time and did not have a hard confinement. I feel sure the Vegetable Compound did me a lot of good, and all my people do, too. One sister in Leamington, Ontario, takes it, and both sisters praise it as a good medicine. I am more than pleased with the result."—Mrs. W. PENN, Windsor, Ontario.

Mrs. Corbin Relieved from Pain Stewiacke, N. S. — "I had pains across my back and in my side for two years after my first baby was born. My mother had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I read about it in the papers, so I tried it and the pains all left me. I have a family of three children now, and the medicine helped me during the months before they were born. I recommend it to my friends."—Mrs. CARY W. CORBIN, Main Street, Stewiacke, Nova Scotia.

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Stampede Was Big Success

Again the Raymond Board of Trade and Ray Knight have scored a wild west success by giving southern Alberta another stampede and race meet which went over to the satisfaction of all concerned. The show was practically a duplicate of last year's stampede with many of the same contestants and horses appearing.

Both afternoons furnished countless thrills, the variety of which ranged from 11 year old Wayne Hawk winning the prize for riding a steer to the spectacular stunt of veteran Ray Knight roping calves from his saddle astride the hood of a six cylinder Star car with Jack Brown at the wheel.

Another feature was the riding of broncos by a lady, Clara Belle, of Infield, Alberta. This was only an exhibition event but took well with the crowd. Miss Clara is some rider!

Starring among the riders were Andy Lund, Bob and Pete Stundneck, Andy Noel, Cecil Hindley, Jack Bennion and a dozen others. They furnished thrills aplenty. A complete list of winners is not available as we go to press.

Both days finished with a dance at the Opera House and both night the hall was filled to capacity. On the second night the stage was brought into use to accommodate the mammoth crowd. The gross receipts for the two days celebration was well over the \$2000 figure.

Notice for Tender for Scavenger

Applications will be received for the position of Town Scavenger up until the hour of 7 o'clock p. m. on the 5th day of August, 1926.

Applicants will be required to furnish their own equipment of all kinds for the service required which shall be,—

1. Pumping out and cleaning all cess pools, either publicly or privately used in any part of the town that seems to need attention.
2. Cleaning up garbage and rubbish of all kinds, such as refuse from corrals, yards etc.
3. Cleaning up from the back of restaurants, barber shops and stores.

All tenders must state the price to be charged for each kind of work, and every kind of refuse must be hauled to the Nuisance Grounds, and if any others changes are made for disposing of the garbage it must be consented to by the Health Department.

The price for each class of garbage must be stated in the application.

The council reserves the right to refuse any bid.

O. H. Snow,
Sec-Treas.

Rustlers Win

The Rustler's won the final league game of the season against Magrath last Saturday by a score of 17-3.

Nalder pitched good ball for Raymond and with the support given him by his team both in the field and at the bat made it an easy victory.

Tuftland started on the mound for Magrath with Olstead catching but in the fourth inning Tufty called the junior battery into service while Olstead and himself plugged up the holes at short and third. This arrangement worked better but did not entirely stem the tide, Raymond scoring six times in the final frames.

The Rustlers go into the play-off with Lethbridge Miners.

The Raymond Junior team won from Magrath Juniors 9-7 in the afternoon tilt.



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Menmen-lathered face, eats a hurried breakfast of Shredded Wheat and Postum, lights a Chesterfield on his way to the office and there, later in the day dismisses an advertising solicitor with the blunt remark, "advertising don't pay. It never sold me nothing!"

Here and There

Lord and Lady Allenby have left Canada, on board the Canadian Pacific liner "Montrose," for home. The distinguished general was received enthusiastically in every city throughout his tour of the Dominion. He delivered addresses showing the importance of the capture of Palestine to the Allies in the Great War.

V. C. Vickers, managing director of Messrs. Vickers Ltd., London, England, who arrived in Canada recently on board the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Canada," reported that the shipbuilding industry both in China and Japan was in a healthier condition than for many years past, with shipbuilders favoring the motor ship.

Travelling right across the Dominion, exclusively on Canadian Pacific lines and in the palatial special car "Loch Lomond," Her Grace the Duchess of Atholl, whose family seat is at Banff, Scotland, will make acquaintance for the first time in her life with the world famous resort in the Canadian Rockies, which took its name from her Scottish home.

A. Hatton, general superintendent of transportation for the Canadian Pacific Railway, has announced the intention of the company to raise the embargo against the loading of grain to Fort William and Port Arthur and the milling companies and elevators at Winnipeg. This is due to the anticipation of the opening of navigation on the Great Lakes about April 20.

The total yield of wheat in Canada for 1925, as finally estimated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, is 416,849,700 bushels, the second largest on record, having been exceeded only by the 1923 crop. The value of this crop is estimated at \$465,116,200, or over \$53 per capita of Canadian population. The average wheat yield was 19.2 bushels per acre.

Here and There

Tremendously rapid development of forest and water power resources of the Province of Quebec is indicated in the forecast of revenue totalling \$6,000,000 from these sources for the current year. Last year the same resources produced a revenue of nearly \$4,500,000.

Sixty men from the training camps in Brandon and Claydon, England, have been accepted by the Canadian which has already visited the "press of France" at the end of June. They proceeded to Winnipeg after landing at Quebec and will be placed on specially selected farms.

Saskatchewan exported last year 77.4 per cent. of its total production of creamery butter, according to a statement made by the Provincial Dairy Commissioner. The increase in production in 1925 over that of 1920 had amounted to 126.8 per cent., the output last year totalling 15,946,233 pounds.

Close on one hundred pilgrims from St. Paul and Minneapolis passed through Montreal recently on their way to the famous shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre, near Quebec. They were the advance guard of the great army of pilgrims that visit the shrine every year. While stopping off in Montreal they visited the St. Joseph Oratory in that city, also well-known as a shrine.

Hundreds of students and co-eds from Canadian and American universities have been passing through Montreal recently to board ships for Europe in connection with the Overseas Collegiate Tours that have grown increasingly popular of late years. Many of these collegians travel by Canadian Pacific boats, the "Empress of France" on a recent trip carrying over 250 of them.

Clad in gorgeous scarlet tunics, plentifully decorated with gold braid, forty members of the world-famous Coldstream Guards Band, of London, reached Quebec recently on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montcalm" on their third visit to Canada, having been here in 1904 and again in 1911. Under the command of Lieutenant R. G. Evans they will play at Brandon, Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Regina, Vancouver and the Toronto Exhibition.

The electrification of the main line of the Imperial Japanese Government Railway system from Tokyo to Shimonoseki, 750 miles, has been long projected, and recently the 45-mile section between Tokyo and Odawara has had experimental trains drawn by electric locomotives run twice a day between these points. Owing to the great expense involved it is feared it will be many years before the entire main line can be electrified.

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